

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

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SETTING UP OF LAW INSTITUTES  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether there is any proposal for setting up of law schools, colleges and universities is lying pending with the Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government to set up law schools, colleges and universities in the country?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M.A.A. FATMI)

(a) to (c): The Ministry of Law and Justice (Deptt. of Legal Affairs) proposes to establish a National Law University, alongwith its three National Law Centres in eastern, western and northern regions of the country, with an enabling provision for setting up of more such Centres, as per the future needs. Since the proposal will form part of Plan expenditure, the Ministry of Law & Justice has set into motion the process for formulating a Plan scheme in consultation with the Planning Commission and the other Ministries concerned.